

Appendix 1

Excerpts from Mini-discourse Completion Test

1. 他很喜欢他的狗, _____, 都会带着它。

he very like his dog, _____, all will take it

He likes his dog very much. _____, he will take it along.

2. 他是这门课的老师, 只有他同意(agree)了, _____
_____。

he is this course teacher, only if he agree SFP, _____

He is the teacher of this course. Only if he agrees, _____.

3. 明年我想去中国, _____, 要么去旅游。

next year I want go China, _____, or go touring

I want to go to China next year. _____, or I will tour the
country.

4. 我和他是老朋友, 他只要有时间, _____。

I and he are old friend, he as long as have time, _____

He and I are old friends. As long as he has time, _____.

5. 我最喜欢吃你做的饭了, 除非这是你做的, _____。

I most like eat you cook NOM food SFP, unless this is you cook NOM, _____

I like the food you cook the most. Unless it was you who cooked this, _____
_____.

Appendix 2

Percentages of Substituted Connectives and Alternative Lexical Items (Connectives/Lexical Items)

Clause	Target Connective and Its Equivalents	Required Lexical Items in Absence of Connectives	NS (n = 210)	HL (n = 57)	HFL (n = 47)	LFL (n = 86)
<i>wúlùn</i> ‘no matter’-clause in <i>wúlùn...dōu</i> ‘no matter...still’	<i>wúlùn</i> ‘no matter’, <i>bùguǎn</i> ‘no matter’, <i>zhǐyào</i> ‘as long as’	<i>měi</i> ‘every’, <i>suǒyǒu</i> ‘all’, <i>nǎr</i> ‘everywhere’, <i>rèn hé dìfāng</i> ‘any place’, etc.	84.8%/ 12.4%	29.8%/ 40.4%	40.4%/ 31.9%	12.8%/ 19.8%
<i>zhǐyǒu</i> ‘only if’-clause in <i>zhǐyǒu...cái</i> ‘only if...then’	<i>zhǐyǒu</i> ‘only if’, <i>chúfēi</i> ‘unless’	<i>děi</i> ‘must’, <i>yào</i> ‘need’, <i>yīdìng</i> ‘definitely’, <i>bìxū</i> ‘necessarily’, etc.	93.8%/ 4.3%	12.3%/ 33.3%	17.0%/ 23.4%	9.3%/ 18.6%
<i>jiù</i> ‘then’-clause in <i>jìrán...jiù</i> ‘since...then’ ^a	<i>jiù</i> ‘then’, <i>nàme</i> ‘then’, <i>nà</i> ‘then’, <i>nàme jiù</i> ‘then’, <i>nà jiù</i> ‘then’, <i>suǒyǐ</i> ‘so’	<i>yīdìng</i> ‘definitely’, <i>yīnggāi</i> ‘should’, <i>bìxū</i> ‘necessarily’, <i>kěndìng</i> ‘definitely’, etc.	71.0%/ 17.1%	22.8%/ 40.4%	21.3%/ 25.5%	14.0%/ 19.8%
<i>chúfēi</i> ‘unless’-clause in <i>chúfēi...fǒuzé</i> ‘unless...otherwise’	<i>chúfēi</i> ‘unless’, <i>yàobúshì</i> ‘if not’, <i>rúguǒ</i> <i>búshì</i> ‘if not’	<i>kěndìng</i> ‘definitely’, <i>kěnéng</i> ‘possibly’, <i>yīnggāi</i> ‘should’, <i>gūji</i> ‘speculate’, etc.	76.7%/ 21.0%	24.6%/ 5.3%	21.3%/ 8.5%	3.5%/ 1.2%

Note. ^a Apart from lexical items, rhetorical questions can also be used to fulfil the semantic requirement of the *jiù* ‘then’-clause in the absence of *jiù* ‘then’. However, in order to facilitate the comparability between different clauses, the percentage of rhetorical questions used is not included in the *jiù* ‘then’-clause.

Appendix 3

Chi-squared Test Statistics in the Use of Connectives versus Lexical Items

	Chi-squared (χ^2)	<i>p</i> -value	Phi coefficient (ϕ)
<i>wúlùn</i> 'no matter'-clause			
NS vs. HL	41.74	< .001*	.41
NS vs. HFL	20.12	< .001*	.29
NS vs. LFL	37.52	< .001*	.40
HL vs. HFL	1.32	.251	.13
HL vs. LFL	0.07	.791	.03
HFL vs. LFL	1.69	.193	.17
<i>zhǐyǒu</i> 'only if'-clause			
NS vs. HL	102.70	< .001*	.67
NS vs. HFL	61.54	< .001*	.52
NS vs. LFL	86.11	< .001*	.61
HL vs. HFL	1.14	.286	.16
HL vs. LFL	0.24	.621	.07
HFL vs. LFL	0.35	.555	.09
<i>jiù</i> 'then'-clause			
NS vs. HL	30.40	< .001*	.37
NS vs. HFL	13.49	< .001*	.26
NS vs. LFL	39.47	< .001*	.42
HL vs. HFL	0.50	.480	.09
HL vs. LFL	0.24	.624	.06
HFL vs. LFL	1.32	.251	.15
<i>chúfēi</i> 'unless'-clause			
NS vs. HL	0.14	.711	.02
NS vs. HFL	0.39	.534	.04
NS vs. LFL	0.03	.865	.01
HL vs. HFL	0.52	.469	.13
HL vs. LFL	0.11	.736	.07
HFL vs. LFL	0.02	.888	.03

Note. * $p < .01$

Appendix 4

Frequencies of Connective Use

Pair of Chinese Connectives	NS (n = 210)		HL (n = 57)		HFL (n = 47)		LFL (n = 86)		
	No Use	(Correct) Use	No Use	(Correct) Use	No Use	(Correct) Use	No Use	(Correct) Use	
1	<i>yīnwèi</i> 'because'	113	(97) ^a 97	51	(6) 6	32	(15) 15	63	(23) 23
	<i>suǒyǐ</i> 'so'	15	(195) 195	35	(17) 22	23	(24) 24	56	(25) 30
2	<i>jìrán</i> 'since'	66	(130) 144	41	(3) 16	28	(9) 19	66	(5) 20
	<i>jiù</i> 'then'	59	(149) 151	39	(13) 18	31	(10) 16	61	(12) 25
3	<i>búdàn</i> 'not only'	81	(129) 129	39	(15) 18	20	(26) 27	38	(46) 48
	<i>érqiě</i> 'but also'	5	(205) 205	7	(47) 50	9	(34) 38	20	(60) 66
4	<i>jì</i> 'both'	198	(5) 12	47	(5) 10	39	(3) 8	71	(8) 15
	<i>yòu</i> 'and'	0	(210) 210	12	(39) 45	6	(36) 41	34	(47) 52
5	<i>zhǐyào</i> 'as long as'	4	(197) 206	18	(23) 39	13	(9) 34	46	(10) 40
	<i>jiù</i> 'then'	4	(206) 206	8	(48) 49	13	(30) 34	55	(21) 31
6	<i>zhǐyǒu</i> 'only if'	12	(197) 198	43	(7) 14	27	(8) 20	60	(8) 26
	<i>cái</i> 'then'	0	(198) 210	15	(30) 42	21	(13) 26	58	(8) 28
7	<i>yàoome</i> 'either'	0	(210) 210	17	(38) 40	18	(28) 29	46	(35) 40
	<i>yàoome</i> 'or'	0	(209) 210	15	(30) 42	26	(19) 21	56	(24) 30
8	<i>yǔqí</i> 'not so much'	152	(56) 58	52	(5) 5	40	(7) 7	80	(5) 6
	<i>bùrú</i> 'as'	0	(210) 210	25	(9) 32	27	(8) 20	71	(2) 15
9	<i>suīrán</i> 'although'	95	(115) 115	46	(11) 11	34	(13) 13	70	(14) 16
	<i>dànshì</i> 'but'	0	(208) 210	20	(30) 37	15	(30) 32	34	(45) 52

10	<i>chúfēi</i> 'unless'	46	(161)	164	28	(14)	29	24	(10)	23	71	(3)	15
	<i>fǒuzé</i> 'otherwise'	1	(202)	209	40	(8)	17	24	(9)	23	66	(2)	20
11	<i>wúlùn</i> 'no matter'	31	(178)	179	36	(17)	21	24	(19)	23	52	(11)	34
	<i>dōu</i> 'still'	1	(209)	209	12	(38)	45	9	(28)	38	49	(27)	37
12	<i>jīshǐ</i> 'even though'	43	(164)	167	32	(22)	25	34	(8)	13	74	(11)	12
	<i>yě</i> 'still'	0	(210)	210	14	(16)	43	18	(8)	29	47	(6)	39

Note. ^a In parentheses are the frequencies of the correct use of connectives.

Appendix 5

Chi-squared Test Statistics in the Use of Connectives

	First Connective Slot in the Pair			Second Connective Slot in the Pair		
	Chi-squared (χ^2)	<i>p</i> -value	Phi coefficient (ϕ)	Chi-squared (χ^2)	<i>p</i> -value	Phi coefficient (ϕ)
	<i>yīnwèi</i> ‘because’			<i>suǒyǐ</i> ‘so’		
NS vs. HL	(24.07) ^a 24.07	(< .001*) < .001*	(.30) .30	(97.70) 86.73	(< .001*) < .001*	(.61) .57
NS vs. HFL	(3.18) 3.18	(.074) .074	(.11) .11	(53.24) 53.24	(< .001*) < .001*	(.46) .46
NS vs. LFL	(9.57) 9.57	(.002*) .002*	(.18) .18	(121.79) 112.47	(< .001*) < .001*	(.65) .62
HL vs. HFL	(7.31) 7.31	(.007*) .007*	(.27) .27	(3.43) 1.62	(.064) .203	(.19) .12
HL vs. LFL	(5.58) 5.58	(.018) .018	(.20) .20	(0.05) 0.20	(.825) .651	(.02) .04
HFL vs. LFL	(0.40) 0.40	(.528) .528	(.05) .05	(5.14) 3.30	(.023) .069	(.20) .16
	<i>jìrán</i> ‘since’			<i>jiù</i> ‘then’		
NS vs. HL	(51.50) 30.62	(< .001*) < .001*	(.46) .34	(38.52) 31.38	(< .001*) < .001*	(.38) .34
NS vs. HFL	(22.82) 13.12	(< .001*) < .001*	(.31) .23	(33.12) 24.19	(< .001*) < .001*	(.36) .31
NS vs. LFL	(73.28) 50.71	(< .001*) < .001*	(.52) .41	(67.28) 46.44	(< .001*) < .001*	(.49) .40
HL vs. HFL	(4.88) 1.76	(.027) .185	(.25) .13	(0.00) 0.07	(.946) .790	(.01) .03
HL vs. LFL	(0.00) 0.42	(.963) .516	(.00) .05	(1.39) 0.10	(.238) .749	(.11) .03
HFL vs. LFL	(6.44) 4.32	(.011) .038	(.24) .18	(1.07) 0.35	(.302) .553	(.10) .05
	<i>búdàn</i> ‘not only’			<i>érgiě</i> ‘but also’		
NS vs. HL	(19.62) 16.14	(< .001*) < .001*	(.27) .25	(11.09) 10.23	(.001*) .001*	(.20) .20
NS vs. HFL	(0.38) 0.26	(.537) .613	(.04) .03	(23.49) 20.96	(< .001*) < .001*	(.30) .29
NS vs. LFL	(1.11) 0.80	(.293) .371	.06 .05	(37.62) 34.38	(< .001*) < .001*	(.36) .34
HL vs. HFL	(8.48) 7.02	(.004*) .008*	(.29) .26	(1.10) 0.93	(.294) .334	(.11) .09

HL vs. LFL	(9.70)	(.002*)	(.27)	(2.90)	(.088)	(.15)
	8.10	.004*	.24	2.70	.101	.14
HFL vs. LFL	(0.04)	(.847)	(.02)	(0.26)	(.612)	(.05)
	0.03	.856	.02	0.30	.584	.05

jì ‘both’

yòu ‘and’

NS vs. HL	(5.62)	(.018)	(.15)	(51.79)	(< .001*)	(.45)
	8.30	.004*	.18	46.29	< .001*	.42
NS vs. HFL	(2.41)	(.120)	(.10)	(30.73)	(< .001*)	(.35)
	6.84	.009*	.16	27.45	< .001*	.33
NS vs. LFL	(7.60)	(.006*)	(.16)	(99.81)	(< .001*)	(.59)
	10.12	.001*	.18	93.80	< .001*	.56
HL vs. HFL	(0.18)	(.669)	(.04)	(1.26)	(.262)	(.12)
	0.00	.944	.01	1.24	.266	.11
HL vs. LFL	(0.01)	(.924)	(.01)	(4.69)	(.030)	(.19)
	0.00	.988	.00	5.37	.021	.19
HFL vs. LFL	(0.30)	(.587)	(.05)	(9.66)	(.002*)	(.28)
	0.00	.951	.01	10.36	.001*	.28

zhǐyào ‘as long as’

jiù ‘then’

NS vs. HL	(72.38)	(< .001*)	(.55)	(15.73)	(< .001*)	(.24)
	52.21	< .001*	.44	15.37	< .001*	.24
NS vs. HFL	(91.81)	(< .001*)	(.64)	(45.70)	(< .001*)	(.42)
	41.24	< .001*	.40	41.24	< .001*	.40
NS vs. LFL	(179.56)	(< .001*)	(.84)	(169.22)	(< .001*)	(.77)
	115.65	< .001*	.63	147.19	< .001*	.71
HL vs. HFL	(1.32)	(.250)	(.14)	(3.70)	(.054)	(.19)
	0.19	.664	.04	2.97	.085	.17
HL vs. LFL	(15.42)	(< .001*)	(.40)	(43.60)	(< .001*)	(.57)
	6.66	.010*	.22	34.66	< .001*	.49
HFL vs. LFL	(4.56)	(.033)	(.24)	(19.91)	(< .001*)	(.41)
	8.21	.004*	.25	16.02	< .001*	.35

zhǐyǒu ‘only if’

cái ‘then’

NS vs. HL	(155.38)	(< .001*)	(.77)	(70.34)	(< .001*)	(.54)
	133.25	< .001*	.71	58.55	< .001*	.47
NS vs. HFL	(113.81)	(< .001*)	(.68)	(134.47)	(< .001*)	(.76)
	79.85	< .001*	.56	102.18	< .001*	.63
NS vs. LFL	(181.51)	(< .001*)	(.81)	(222.99)	(< .001*)	(.92)
	135.99	< .001*	.68	176.14	< .001*	.77
HL vs. HFL	(1.11)	(.292)	(.11)	(6.31)	(.012)	(.28)
	3.79	.052	.19	3.84	.050	.19
HL vs. LFL	(0.13)	(.719)	(.03)	(35.36)	(< .001*)	(.56)
	0.55	.460	.06	23.20	< .001*	.40
HFL vs. LFL	(2.17)	(.141)	(.15)	(9.22)	(.002*)	(.30)
	2.04	.153	.12	6.53	.011	.22

	<i>yàome</i> ‘either’			<i>yàome</i> ‘or’		
NS vs. HL	(69.36)	(< .001*)	(.51)	(74.04)	(< .001*)	(.54)
	66.89	< .001*	.50	58.55	< .001*	.47
NS vs. HFL	(88.39)	(< .001*)	(.59)	(134.53)	(< .001*)	(.73)
	86.48	< .001*	.58	129.25	< .001*	.71
NS vs. LFL	(141.65)	(< .001*)	(.70)	(181.46)	(< .001*)	(.79)
	132.99	< .001*	.67	168.65	< .001*	.75
HL vs. HFL	(0.75)	(.387)	(.09)	(5.42)	(.020)	(.25)
	0.83	.363	.09	9.07	.003*	.30
HL vs. LFL	(8.82)	(.003*)	(.25)	(15.78)	(< .001*)	(.36)
	7.79	.005*	.23	20.64	< .001*	.38
HFL vs. LFL	(3.66)	(.056)	(.17)	(1.91)	(.167)	(.12)
	2.81	.094	.15	1.23	.267	.10
	<i>yǔqí</i> ‘not so much’			<i>bùrú</i> ‘as’		
NS vs. HL	(8.32)	(.004*)	(.18)	(172.04)	(< .001*)	(.84)
	8.83	.003*	.18	101.62	< .001*	.62
NS vs. HFL	(2.98)	(.084)	(.11)	(182.06)	(< .001*)	(.86)
	3.29	.070	.11	134.80	< .001*	.72
NS vs. LFL	(16.21)	(< .001*)	(.24)	(272.65)	(< .001*)	(.98)
	15.34	< .001*	.23	228.08	< .001*	.88
HL vs. HFL	(0.95)	(.331)	(.10)	(0.12)	(.728)	(.04)
	0.95	.331	.10	1.90	.168	.14
HL vs. LFL	(0.44)	(.510)	(.06)	(14.16)	(< .001*)	(.36)
	0.16	.693	.03	23.27	< .001*	.40
HFL vs. LFL	(2.97)	(.085)	(.15)	(11.40)	(.001*)	(.32)
	2.16	.142	.13	9.88	.002*	.27
	<i>suīrán</i> ‘although’			<i>dànshì</i> ‘but’		
NS vs. HL	(22.63)	(< .001*)	(.29)	(90.19)	(< .001*)	(.59)
	22.63	< .001*	.29	79.65	< .001*	.55
NS vs. HFL	(11.28)	(.001*)	(.21)	(73.70)	(< .001*)	(.54)
	11.28	.001*	.21	71.18	< .001*	.53
NS vs. LFL	(35.36)	(< .001*)	(.35)	(101.55)	(< .001*)	(.59)
	32.33	< .001*	.33	93.80	< .001*	.56
HL vs. HFL	(1.01)	(.314)	(.10)	(0.45)	(.501)	(.07)
	1.01	.314	.10	0.12	.733	.03
HL vs. LFL	(0.16)	(.688)	(.03)	(0.12)	(.733)	(.03)
	0.10	.917	.01	0.29	.591	.04
HFL vs. LFL	(2.23)	(.136)	(.13)	(1.13)	(.288)	(.10)
	1.46	.227	.10	0.76	.384	.08
	<i>chúfēi</i> ‘unless’			<i>fǒuzé</i> ‘otherwise’		
NS vs. HL	(33.02)	(< .001*)	(.36)	(194.94)	(< .001*)	(.88)
	16.58	< .001*	.25	167.56	< .001*	.79
NS vs. HFL	(33.15)	(< .001*)	(.37)	(156.38)	(< .001*)	(.81)

	16.48	< .001*	.25	111.92	< .001*	.66
NS vs. LFL	(121.93)	(< .001*)	(.66)	(255.22)	(< .001*)	(.97)
	93.90	< .001*	.56	202.67	< .001*	.83
HL vs. HFL	(0.13)	(.715)	(.04)	(1.33)	(.249)	(.13)
	0.04	.844	.02	3.98	.046	.20
HL vs. LFL	(18.36)	(< .001*)	(.40)	(6.73)	(.009*)	(.24)
	17.99	< .001*	.35	0.77	.380	.07
HFL vs. LFL	(14.15)	(< .001*)	(.36)	(13.55)	< .001*	(.37)
	14.77	< .001*	.33	9.16	.002*	.26

wúlùn 'no matter'

dōu 'still'

NS vs. HL	(62.61)	(< .001*)	(.49)	(47.05)	(< .001*)	(.43)
	55.86	< .001*	.46	40.98	< .001*	.39
NS vs. HFL	(35.10)	(< .001*)	(.37)	(46.06)	(< .001*)	(.43)
	30.09	< .001*	.34	35.81	< .001*	.37
NS vs. LFL	(104.66)	(< .001*)	(.62)	(158.43)	(< .001*)	(.74)
	63.16	< .001*	.46	138.74	< .001*	.68
HL vs. HFL	(1.49)	(.223)	(.12)	(0.00)	(.972)	(.00)
	1.54	.214	.12	0.06	.810	.02
HL vs. LFL	(3.36)	(.067)	(.17)	(19.78)	(< .001*)	(.40)
	0.11	.746	.03	18.09	< .001*	.36
HFL vs. LFL	(9.00)	(.003*)	(.29)	(16.06)	(< .001*)	(.38)
	1.10	.295	.09	17.68	< .001*	.36

jīshǐ 'even though'

yě 'still'

NS vs. HL	(30.98)	(< .001*)	(.34)	(104.07)	(< .001*)	(.66)
	28.23	< .001*	.33	54.43	< .001*	.45
NS vs. HFL	(59.20)	(< .001*)	(.49)	(157.39)	(< .001*)	(.82)
	49.23	< .001*	.44	86.48	< .001*	.58
NS vs. LFL	(110.25)	(< .001*)	(.61)	(226.75)	(< .001*)	(.93)
	109.75	< .001*	.61	136.43	< .001*	.68
HL vs. HFL	(5.17)	(.023)	(.23)	(2.90)	(.089)	(.23)
	2.92	.088	.17	2.28	.131	.15
HL vs. LFL	(14.10)	(< .001*)	(.32)	(17.36)	(< .001*)	(.46)
	15.99	< .001*	.33	12.69	< .001*	.30
HFL vs. LFL	(0.82)	(.364)	(.08)	(4.52)	(.033)	(.24)
	3.74	.053	.17	3.25	.071	.16

Note. ^a In parentheses are the Chi-squared Test Statistics for the correct use of connectives.

* $p < .01$

Table 1. 12 Target Pairs of Chinese Connectives

Pair	Target Connectives	Literal Translation	Semantic Relationship	Obligatoriness in a Pair
1	<i>yīnwèi...suǒyǐ</i> (因为.....所以)	because...so	causal	<i>yīnwèi</i> : optional <i>suǒyǐ</i> : obligatory
2	<i>jìrán...jiù</i> (既然.....就)	since...then	causal	<i>jìrán</i> : optional <i>jiù</i> : optional
3	<i>búdàn...érgiě</i> (不但.....而且)	not only...but also	coordinate	<i>búdàn</i> : optional <i>érgiě</i> : obligatory
4	<i>jì...yòu</i> (既.....又)	both...and	coordinate	<i>jì</i> : optional <i>yòu</i> : obligatory
5	<i>zhǐyào...jiù</i> (只要.....就)	as long as...then	conditional	<i>zhǐyào</i> : obligatory <i>jiù</i> : obligatory
6	<i>zhǐyǒu...cái</i> (只有.....才)	only if...then	conditional	<i>zhǐyǒu</i> : obligatory <i>cái</i> : obligatory
7	<i>yàoome...yàoome</i> (要么.....要么)	either...or	selective	<i>yàoome</i> : obligatory <i>yàoome</i> : obligatory
8	<i>yǔqí...bùrú</i> (与其.....不如)	not so much...as	selective	<i>yǔqí</i> : optional <i>bùrú</i> : obligatory
9	<i>suīrán...dànshì</i> (虽然.....但是)	although...but	adversative	<i>suīrán</i> : optional <i>dànshì</i> : obligatory
10	<i>chúfēi...fǒuzé</i> (除非.....否则)	unless...otherwise	adversative	<i>chúfēi</i> : optional <i>fǒuzé</i> : obligatory
11	<i>wúlùn...dōu</i> (无论.....都)	no matter...still	concessive	<i>wúlùn</i> : optional <i>dōu</i> : obligatory
12	<i>jíshǐ...yě</i> (即使.....也)	even if...still	concessive	<i>jíshǐ</i> : optional <i>yě</i> : obligatory

Table 2. Participants' Demographic Information

Participants	Gender ^a		Age (years)				Length of Study ^b (semesters)			
	M	F	M	SD	Min.	Max.	M	SD	Min.	Max
Low-level Foreign Language learners (n = 86)	37	49	20.9	2.7	18	35	7.4	3.9	2	19
High-level Foreign Language Learners (n = 47)	22	24	21.2	3.0	18	36	8.9	3.2	5	18
Heritage Language Learners (n = 57)	20	37	20.0	2.1	18	29	9.9	6.7	1	26
Native Chinese Speakers (n = 210)	20	190	19.1	1.8	17	30	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

Note. ^a One high-level foreign language learner did not reveal any information about gender.

^b The length of study includes the semesters both at college and prior to college.

Table 3. Layout of the Test Instrument

Mini-discourse Completion Test		
Number of Items	30 items in total: 24 test items and 6 filler items	
Section	Section A	Section B
Composition of Items	12 items on 12 connectives and 3 filler items	12 items on 12 connectives and 3 filler items
Target Connectives	(<i>yīnwèi</i>) ^a <i>suǒyǐ</i> , <i>búdàn</i> (<i>érqiě</i>), (<i>zhǐyào</i>) <i>jiù</i> , <i>yàome</i> (<i>yàome</i>), (<i>suīrán</i>) <i>dànshì</i> , <i>wúlùn</i> (<i>dōu</i>), (<i>jìrán</i>) <i>jiù</i> , <i>jì</i> (<i>yòu</i>), (<i>zhǐyǒu</i>) <i>cái</i> , <i>yǔqǐ</i> (<i>bùrú</i>), (<i>chúfēi</i>) <i>fǒuzé</i> , <i>jíshǐ</i> (<i>yě</i>)	<i>yīnwèi</i> (<i>suǒyǐ</i>), (<i>búdàn</i>) <i>érqiě</i> , <i>zhǐyào</i> (<i>jiù</i>), (<i>yàome</i>) <i>yàome</i> , <i>suīrán</i> (<i>dànshì</i>), (<i>wúlùn</i>) <i>dōu</i> , <i>jìrán</i> (<i>jiù</i>), (<i>jì</i>) <i>yòu</i> , <i>zhǐyǒu</i> (<i>cái</i>), (<i>yǔqǐ</i>) <i>bùrú</i> , <i>chúfēi</i> (<i>fǒuzé</i>), (<i>jíshǐ</i>) <i>yě</i>

Note. ^a Connectives in parentheses are the connectives that were embedded in the given clauses in the test.